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MOREMEN ON SCHOOLS.

That the legislature will pass and the governor will sign the law recommending by J. B. McFerran and his coadjutors that the counties of the state be allowed to bond themselves to better school conditions is almost certain.

There are other changes needed in the school law that are important and to which I call your attention. Section 4298 of school law should be so amended that any one offering as candidate for county superintendent be required to pass an examination within a year previous to election under all the rules now required for such examination and pass with such proficiency as will entitle the candidate to a state certificate, or the highest certificate now required.

The office of county superintendent should be made non-partisan. Section 4401 should have this incorporated in it.

On the ballot the names of all candidates for the office of county superintendent of common schools shall be printed in a single column and shall be arranged alphabetically according to the last name of each candidate; there shall be no party, or other emblem, or distinguishing mark placed in or upon said column; nor shall the party affiliations of the candidates be in any way designated on such ballot.

"Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky that Section 4298 of the Kentucky Statutes be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 4296 to be amended as follows: "Whenever the enrollment of pupils shall exceed the capacity of the school room it shall be lawful in the discretion of the trustees to have the primary classes attend school in the morning of each day and the more advanced classes in the afternoon of each day."

Sec. 4298. No books, or other publications of a sectarian, infidel, or immoral character shall be used, or distributed in any common school; nor shall any sectarian, infidel, or immoral doctrine be taught therein. "A chapter from the English Bible shall be read each day at the opening of the session of the school by the teacher."

As to the first amendment recommended, section 4296, it would be an advantage to the state to have one qualification of the county commissioner, a six years' teaching experience,

as well as to have an examination in one year previous to the candidacy.

In section 4401: Many of our best superintendents are men, and what does the fact that a superintendent is a Democrat, a Republican, or a prohibitionist, add to his or her efficiency as superintendent of schools? Take the office out of politics.

As to 4296, there are many houses through the state with a capacity for forty or fifty pupils, which cannot be remedied until the county bond issue is voted and the houses are built. The Court of Appeals has decided the bible not sectarian, so section 4298 relates to the spiritual welfare of the children. Christ says, "A new commandment I give unto you, that ye love one another, as I have loved you, that ye also love one another." To find how Christ loved us, which we can never know, the reader will have to read Isaiah, fifteenth chapter, sixth verse, the whole of the fifth chapter of Isaiah, twenty-second chapter of Matthew and the nineteenth chapter of John, and he expects us to love each other as well as he loves us. He is the measure of God's love to us. He is the value of a man. God says, "My people perish for lack of knowledge," and whenever we see a man, a woman or a child, we see one for whom Christ died. The children of Kentucky must have the light, which Christ alone can give, must have the bible in the schools, go back to Moses with his tablets and shall go forward to Christ until we love God supremely, and our neighbor as ourselves, have Christian co-operation and absolute publicity, so that all walk in the light. Christ says, after speaking his sermon on the mount, "He that heareth these sayings of mine and doeth them, I will liken him to a wise man which built his house on a rock," and the legislator, who in this term of the legislature, rings up Central and calls for public opinion, will find that at least three-fourths of the people of Kentucky are in favor of these words being added to section 4298 of the Kentucky Statutes: A chapter from the English bible shall be read each day at the opening of the session of the school by the teacher and will be wise if he hears and heeds.

Very truly yours,
W. B. MOREMAN,
Oakland, Orange County, Florida.

giving day for several weeks stay in Florida.

Misses Rosa and Elsie Rothenburger will entertain the C. S. W. Thursday Dec. 21.

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Miss Kate Quinn and Mr. John Quinn attended the miscellaneous answer given Miss Mattie Pryckel Saturday night at her home in Inglewood.

Mrs. Susan Hunt, Miss Hattie Hunt and Mr. John Hunt were entertained at dinner Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Sims.

Mrs. and Mrs. Clay Smith, of Brownsboro, spent several days last week with their daughter, Mrs. Alano Johnson, and family.

Mrs. S. S. Mount, of Prospect, and Mrs. O. T. Herr, of Warwick, spent one day last week with Miss Alberta Netherton.

Miss Addie Pate, of Brownsboro, is spending sometime with D. H. Wilhoite and wife.

Mrs. Carrie Carfield spent some time with Mr. and Mrs. James Flint and other friends.

Mrs. Rob Littrell and daughter, Nellie Ray, of Louisville, were guests last week of B. T. Littrell and family.

Messrs. Harry Simcoe and Geo. Shuster, of S. Louisville, spent Monday night with relatives here.

Messrs. Fry Tyler and Wm. Webb, of Fry's Hill, left Thanks-

OFFICIAL REPORT

Of The Worthington Board of Relief, of Which H. D. Murphy is Pres., Dr. J. L. Quisenberry, V. P., A. L. Chamberlain, Sec. and Treas.

Following is the official report of the Worthington Board of Relief: Amount subscribed and paid out for the board and medicine of Mr. Walter Colvin, at the Jewish Hospital. The receipts may be seen at the Ruth Drug & Notion Co., at Worthington, Ky.

H. D. Murphy	\$25.00
W. R. Claxon	4.00
A. L. Chamberlain	3.50
E. T. Chamberlain	3.45
Frank Y. Miller	.50
Jake Maddox	.50
Hewitt Simcoe	3.00
C. W. Maddox	1.00
Chom Littrell	1.00
F. X. Schuler	3.00
R. T. Collins	.50
John Quinn	1.00
The C. W. S. Society	3.00
B. F. Littrell	1.00
R. L. Miller	1.00
Z. M. Orshorpe	1.00
Louise Miller	.50
W. R. Tyler	.50
Mrs. Anna Simcoe	.50
Mrs. S. H. Hunt	2.50
Rev. Davidson	1.00
H. H. Sims	.50
Jake Lawson	.50
Rev. Laird	.50
Hattie Hunt	2.50
Wm. Herr	.50
A. M. Laird	.25
Henry Hahn	.25
	\$64.20

Board and Medicine.

23rd. Oct. to Oct. 30th	\$12.00
30th. Oct. to Nov. 6th	\$15.00
6th. Nov. to Nov. 13th	13.50
13th. Nov. to Nov. 20th	15.65
20th. Nov. to Nov. 27th	12.00
	\$64.20

Dr. Quisenberry attended Mr. Colvin for 60 cents a trip, just his fare. His professional services were donated free.

A. L. Chamberlain,
Sec. and Treas.

ELECTRICITY AND BANANAS.

Among recent extensions of the use of electrical machinery, attention is called to the employment of motor-driven "marine-like" machines for unloading bunches of bananas from the holds of fruit-carrying vessels at New Orleans. Not only is there a great saving of labor, but it is said that the fruit is much less damaged than when unloaded by hand. At Louisville electric radiators have been employed to ripen bananas for local consumption. The fruit is hung in ripening rooms, and subjected to a temperature of 75 to 80 degrees during a period of 48 hours. Afterward it is kept in storage at a temperature of 60 or 70 degrees—Scientific American.

WAY OF THE MOTH.

"That young chap comes around to the stage door every night in spite of the fact that he hasn't the ghost of a chance to get in."

"Well, there's nothing remarkable about that. Did you ever see a moth bumping around an electric light bulb?"

TO THE POINT.

Elderly Aunt—I suppose you wondered, dear little Jack, why I left you so abruptly in the lane. I saw a man, and, oh, how I ran!"

Jack—Did you get him?

Insure Your Live Stock.

We notice that several nice horses have lost their lives from disease during the past week and that others are sick. Why not protect yourself from loss by having your horses and other live stock insured against death? We insure horses, mules, cattle, etc., against death from any cause at reasonable rates. Call Cumberland phone 36-3 and one of us will call to see you.

ALCOCK & HUMMEL,
24-25, Jeffersontown, Ky.

Country people coming to town on Sunday morning can get the Sunday Courier-Journal at Panelli Bros.

EULOGY

On the Dog By the Late Senator George G. Vest, of Missouri—Man's Best Friend on Earth is Member of Canine Family.

The following is a peroration to a speech in a suit at law to recover damages for the death of a dog. The speech was delivered in a law court in Missouri in September, 1870, by George Graham Vest, who eight years later was elected a U. S. Senator from Missouri and served until he died in 1894, being five times re-elected:

"Gentlemen of the Jury: The best friend a man has in this world may turn against him and become his enemy. His son and daughter that he has reared with loving care may become ungrateful. Those who are nearest and dearest to us, those whom we trust with our happiness and our good name, may become traitors to their faith. The money that a man has he may lose. It flies away from him when he may need it most. Man's reputation may be tarnished. A high school education is not a requisite to entrance and will men over 21 years of age only be eligible. No one, therefore,

"Gentlemen of the Jury: A man's dog stands by him in prosperity and poverty, in health and in sickness. He will sleep on the cold ground when the weary traveler rests, and the snow drives fiercely, if only he may be near his master's side. He will kiss the hand that has no food to offer, he will lick the wounds and sores that come from the roughness of the world. He guards the sleep of his pauper master as if he were a prince.

"When all other friends desert, he remains. When riches take wings and comfort flees, he stays close by his master's side. He is the true companion in his journey through the heavens. If fortune drives the master forth an outcast into the world, friendless and homeless, the faithful dog asks no higher privilege than that of accompanying him, to guard him against danger, to fight against his enemies, and when the last scene of all comes and death takes his master in the embrace and his body is laid away in the cold ground, no matter if all other friends pursue their way, there by his graveside will the noble dog be found, his head between his paws and his eyes sad, but open in alert watchfulness, faithful and true even to death."—The Farmer's Wife.

Woman Finally Recovers From Nervous Breakdown

Impoverished nerves destroy many people before their time. Often before a sufferer realizes what the trouble is, he is on the verge of a complete nervous breakdown. It is of the utmost importance to keep your nervous system in good condition, as the nerves are the source of all bodily power. Mrs. Anna Kohnz, 211 Mechanic St., Pueblo, Colo., says:

"For many years I suffered from nervous prostration; I was unable to do any house work and doctors failed to help me. Remedies I tried from druggists did not do me a particle of good. A neighbor told my husband about

Dr. Miles' Nerve

and he procured a bottle. After the first few doses I showed a marked improvement and after taking two bottles I was entirely cured. I have been perfectly well for years and cannot praise Dr. Miles' Nerve too highly.

If you are troubled with loss of appetite, poor digestion, weakness, inability to sleep, if you are a general run down condition and unable to bear your part of the daily grind of life, you need something to strengthen your nerves. You may not realize what is the matter with you, but if you are suffering from nervous prostration, if you are unable to do your part of the daily grind of life, you need something to strengthen your nerves. You may not realize what is the matter with you, but if you are suffering from nervous prostration, if you are unable to do your part of the daily grind of life, you need something to strengthen your nerves.

has proven its value in nervous disorders for thirty years, and merits a trial, no matter how many other remedies have failed to help you. It is the only medicine that if it does not fail to benefit your money is returned. MILES' MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

A COURSE IN ROAD BUILDING.

The State University at Lexington makes the timely announcement of the organization of a new department which is to give a ten week's course in road building. The term will begin January 3, and extend to March 15. Every County Judge in the State is entitled to appoint two men to take this course, and the necessary expenses, it is stated by the University officials, will not exceed fifty or sixty dollars for the entire ten weeks.

The course, it is announced, will consist of lectures on grading, construction and maintenance of earth, macadam and sand clay roads; also a course in theory and practice of leveling, making profile, establishing grades and staking out grade lines on the ground; with an additional course in surveying, mapping and the calculation of land areas and earth quantities, also drainage and farm sanitation, including practice in the construction of plain concrete culverts and short-span reinforced concrete bridges. A high school education is not a requisite to entrance and will men over 21 years of age only be eligible. No one, therefore,

need feel that he is too old or too deficient in scholastic training to undertake the ten-weeks' course.

This new department of the University should be largely patronized. The road question is a paramount issue in Kentucky at present, and in almost every county there is a more or less well-defined sentiment for highway improvement. One of the prime requisites for making better roads is to have men in charge of the improvements who have some practical knowledge of road construction.

An enormous amount of money is spent in Kentucky every year for roads and bridges. Much of it is spent to poor advantage and much of it literally is wasted. There is need of efficient training in road-making that the best result may be obtained from the expenditure of the public money. The State University is to be commended for its timely and fitting action in establishing a course in road-building. The County Judges, it is to be hoped, will manifest sufficient interest to see that the department of the University is well attended. Louisville-Courier-Journal November 28.

LORD BYRON AND PREVEZA

Poet Began "Childe Harold" at Town Where the Turco-Italian War Opened.

The Turco-Italian war is likely to provide the literary gossip with plenty of "remembrances." For instance it is interesting to recall that it was at Preveza, in the Gulf of Arta, where the first shot of the war was fired, that Byron landed for his tour through Albania and there also he began the second canto of "Childe Harold," which he finished, by the way, at Smyrna, another landmark in the present war, for an Italian squadron was reported in that quarter the other day. Preveza is in a village of Janina, where, it is recorded in the Hon. Roden Noel's biography of Byron, the poet was supplied by order of the pasha with a house, horses and all necessities gratis. All himself being absent besieging Ibrahim in Illyria.

Readers familiar with "Childe Harold" will remember the very graphic description of the Gulf of Arta given by Hobbhouse in a note to the poem. It is a vivid account of a night scene round the camp fires, with a background of rugged rocks and Albanian soldiers dancing in the freights and singing firebrand songs with the refrain, Klephts pogo Parga! ("Robbers all at Parga"). On leaving Janina, Byron went to Missolonghi, thence to Vozitza, where he caught his first glimpse of the heights of Parnassus.

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NO NEWSPAPERS."



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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1911.

NOTICE TO STATE SENATORS AND REPRESENTATIVES.

A very interesting article is published in this week's paper from Mr. Horace W. Moremen, of Valley Station, now spending the winter in Florida, upon the question of amending the school law and is addressed to the State Legislature for consideration. Copies of The Jeffersonian containing this article is mailed to all Senators and Representatives of the state, and as the matter under consideration is of vital importance to the people of the state it is hoped the law makers will give it more than a passing notice.

The law recommended by Mr. J. E. McFerran, if passed, will benefit, not only Jefferson county, but every county in the state that take advantage of it. The cities are now permitted to bond themselves for school purposes, but the counties are not. As a rule, the schools in the cities are better than those in the rural districts. If the county, as a whole, bonds itself for school purposes, we shall have better schools in the rural districts—and at little more cost, if any, than we now have. There is no known opposition from any source to this amendment.

Mr. Moremen suggests a few other amendments that are splendid, and if carried out will result in a lasting benefit to the State and place Kentucky higher up on the ladder of educational standing.

He suggests that the office of County Superintendent be taken out of politics—and it should be. He suggests that when the enrollment of pupils exceed the capacity of school rooms, that a morning session be held for the primary classes and an afternoon session be held for advanced classes. Surely this will result in good and there will be no opposition to the proposition. He suggests that no books of immoral character be used in the schools, but that a chapter from the English Bible be read daily. Since this is a Christian nation there should be no objection to this.

School suffrage for women, which is incorporated in the Democratic platform, should also be enacted, since the women are qualified in every way to vote upon these questions. A majority of the teachers are women, and it is the women that have the training of children in the homes. They should be given an opportunity to put into effect their ideas and knowledge of the work. Another thing that is needed is compulsory school attendance. Less than half the children of the State, according to statistics, are attending school. Why? Simply because the parents do not send them—having no education themselves, they think their children need none. Parents should be compelled to educate their children.

The Jeffersonian heartily endorses everything said by Mr. Moremen and it is to be hoped that the next General Assembly will get down to real work and so amend the school laws that old Kentucky will have the opportunity of spreading herself and not be hampered with laws that are not adequate to our needs and demands.

OPPOSED TO CAPITAL PUNISHMENT.

There is one Governor in the United States opposed to capital punishment, a fact that The Jeffersonian believes to be barbarous, and a thing that should be stopped by God-fearing and God-loving people. Governor West, of Oregon, wrote a letter to the mother of Mike Morgan, who was condemned to be hung on January 5 next, assuring her that her son's life is not to be taken. In his recently issued statement on the subject the Governor said in part: "There will be no hanging in Oregon while I am Governor. I be-

lieve that imprisonment for life should be the penalty paid for shedding human blood. I will and do advocate the repeal of the capital statute and the limiting of the pardoning power of the Governor in relation to life imprisonment for first degree murder. I hope to see this reform carried out before the expiration of my term of office and the present barbaric law wiped from the statute books of this State."

Morgan, who left home near Princeton, Ind., about two years ago, slew his companion while they were alone in a logging camp near Garretts Pass, Ore. He claims the act was in self-defense, but there were no witnesses.

NO PAPER NEXT WEEK.

To give our employees a well-earned and deserved rest The Jeffersonian will not be issued next week. Of all the holidays of the year we regard Christmas as the highest and a time that everybody should lay aside all thoughts of daily avocations and worship God, who gave His only begotten Son that the world may not perish, but have everlasting life. Surely this is the time to forget the things of this life and think of the life that is come. Our readers will not have time to read of secular things, and our employees need the time that we give them to worship God and rest after the hard work of the past year. The handsome Christmas cover, with "Old Santa" in an airship throwing toys, etc., down to the children, will, no doubt, interest the children, and the Christmas stories will interest both young and old. Our Christmas number is not what we had hoped to make it, but the advertisers during the past two weeks have kept us working day and night and we are compelled to confess our inability to carry out the plans that were made. Thinking all of our friends and readers who have helped us during the past year, and believing that all will gladly join us in giving the tolling printers a week of rest, we promise to come out next week with a brighter and better paper than ever before.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Our correspondents will please take notice that no paper will be issued next week and not send in their letters for publication. Don't forget, however, that The Jeffersonian will be issued the first week in the New Year and send your news so that it will reach us by January 1st. That The Jeffersonian is one of the best county newspapers in the State is due to the fact that our friends report the weekly happenings in all sections of the county. Not only this, but we have several regular contributors that write of important subjects of the day, things that are of interest to home people. Others write just "when the spirit moves them," but all are appreciated by us. The columns of The Jeffersonian are always open to any of our readers who may desire to write anything that is calculated to uplift or better conditions in Jefferson county.

Wishing all our friends and patrons a merry Christmas and happy and prosperous New Year, and thanking one and all for many kind favors during the past year, we are
Yours very truly,
THE JEFFERSONIAN.

ACCEPTS A MORE LUCRATIVE POSITION.

C. E. Alcock, brother of the editor of The Jeffersonian, who has been business manager of this paper for the past three years, last week accepted a more lucrative position with the Courier-Journal Job Printing Company in Louisville. Mr. Alcock has had many years' experience in newspaper work, and it is with regret that we give him up. A large portion of the success of The Jeffersonian has been due to his untiring and faithful efforts, and while it will be for loss we are pleased to know that the above named company, the largest job printing establishment in the South, recognizes his ability and has given him his old position back. He is an expert in the "art preservative," and will "make good" with the C.-J. Job, as he did before, but the fascination of running a country newspaper may get the better of him, and we need not be surprised if he is of him "breaking into the harness" again before very long.

Insure Your Live Stock.

We notice that several nice horses have lost their lives from disease during the past week and that others are sick. Why not protect yourself from loss by having your horses and other live stock insured against death? We insure horses, mules, cattle, etc., against death from any cause at reasonable rates. Call Cumberland phone 36-3 and one of us will call to see you.
ALCOCK & HUMMEL,
Jeffersonton, Ky.

INK DROPS.

Only three more days in which to do your Christmas shopping, so we are compelled to say "do your Christmas shopping late."

It is not to late to send The Jeffersonian to some friend or relative as a Christmas gift. Quite a number have already acted upon our suggestion. Let others do the same.

No! don't complain when the youngsters want to shoot firecrackers and make a noise. Remember you were young once, and Christmas comes but once a year.

The Democrats won in the state election upon a "dry" platform, but they had a wet inauguration.

Tom and Jerry have come to stay till after New Year's.

The only man who never made a mistake, died of cramp at a very tender age. Therefore, do not talk about the mistakes of your neighbor—look for the good things in his life and "gossip" these all you please.

The average girl who goes to cooking school seems to have an idea that her future husband is going to live on angel-food cake.

The woman who has a new diamond ring always has lots of trouble at a party with her hair.

Supper and Social.

The Ladies Aid of the Jefferson-ton Christian church will give an oyster supper, cake and box social at Bruce Hall Tuesday, December 26, from 3 to 10 p. m. All ladies, young and old, members of any church, are cordially invited to come and bring a box or cake.

REPORT

—OF THE CONDITION OF THE—

BANK OF ST. MATTHEWS

A bank doing business at the town of St. Matthews, county of Jefferson, state of Kentucky, at the close of business on the

5th Day of December, 1911.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts.....	\$181,431.41
U. S. and other Bonds, Stocks and Securities.....	61,800.12
Due from Banks.....	36,069.68
Actual Cash on hand.....	8,169.21
Cheques, cash items and exchange for clearing.....	6.18
Overdrafts—Secured.....	.00
Unsecured.....	.00
Current expenses and taxes paid.....	1,065.53
Real Estate.....	\$6,728.29
Furniture and Fixtures.....	\$24,640.63
Other assets not included under any of the above heads.....	1,528.41
Total.....	\$297,284.19

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in, in cash.....	\$ 30,000.00
Surplus.....	829.00
Undivided profits.....	130,692.57
Deposits on which interest is paid.....	\$129,372.50
Deposits on which interest is not paid.....	\$200,000.45
Cashier's checks outstanding.....	.00
Outstanding checks.....	600.00
Due to Banks.....	600.00
Notes and Bills rediscounted.....	.00
Bills payable.....	600.00
Other liabilities not included under any of the above heads.....	6,980.33
Total.....	\$297,284.19

State of Kentucky,)
County of Jefferson,)
I, G. T. Dick, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
G. T. DICK,
Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me by
G. T. Dick, this 14th day of Dec., 1911.
My commission expires Feb. 26th, 1914.
Notary Public Jefferson County, Ky.
JAMES P. BROWN,
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JOHN W. ANTONIUS,
JOHN M. MORAN,
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49 acres, at \$40 per acre.
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All improvements, on pile and some very convenient to trolley line.

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600 acres, at \$85 per acre.
400 acres, at \$100 per acre.
230 acres, at \$90 per acre.
190 acres, at \$75 per acre.
350 acres, at \$90 per acre.
All improvements on pile.

Breckinridge County.

144 acres on Ohio river, \$6,000 improved; 1,250 apple trees—improved.

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Our Whisky is the best that is made in Kentucky.
Real Quality Whisky, Pure and Straight.

Old Charter Whisky, 8 Years old, extra fine, full quart. . . . 75c

Old Frontier, bottled in bond, quart.....	85c
Old Taylor, bottled in bond, quart.....	85c
Old Fairfield, 10 years old, no proof, quart.....	\$1.25
Old Charter, bottled in bond, quart.....	85c
Wellwood, bottled in bond, quart.....	85c
Spring Hill, bottled in bond, quart.....	85c
Apple Brandy, extra fine, quart.....	75c

Old Nelson County, 8 years old, pure and mellow, full quart. . . . 75c

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Wilsons.....	\$1.00
Yates Decision.....	\$1.00
Chas. Denby.....	\$1.00
Plattens.....	\$1.00
Certified Bond.....	\$1.00
Chas. Fields.....	\$1.25
Quails.....	\$1.25
La Soma.....	\$1.50
Pilsen Club.....	\$2.00
La Sorella.....	\$2.00
Ducks, each cigar wrapped.....	\$2.00

California Wines 25c Quart, \$1 Gallon, With Green Trading Stamps

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BOTH PHONES.



Self-Reliant Tom

"Yes, we had a delightful time, of course," said young Mrs. Clinton the morning after she and her husband returned from a few days' visit in the country. "The Thorntons were just as hospitable as they could be, but I doubt if Tom and I are ever invited to Rose Lodge again. I don't think we were a success as guests."

"Why not?" asked her sister.

"Why, you see, Tom insisted on going in our car. He was sure he knew the way and he simply wouldn't ask directions of any one. We went about forty miles out of our road and arrived at Rose Lodge late for an evening dinner, when we should have been there for a noon luncheon."

"That wasn't so bad," consoled her sister. "Almost anything is forgiven automobiles."

"Not quite everything. Still, if that had been the only exhibition of Tom's perversity in not asking about the road had the impression made by our tardy arrival might have worn off. But we accentuated it."

"The Hanscombs, you know, have a summer home a few miles distant from Rose Lodge, and when they were there they phoned an invitation for us to dine with them Monday evening. I begged Tom when we accepted the invitation to find out exactly how to go to dine with them again as we were dressing Monday afternoon."

"Don't you worry," said Tom. "I've looked it up on the neighborhood map and I could find my way there in the dark."

"But you know these country roads are so confusing," persisted "Don't you think it would be wise to ask Mr. Thornton?"

"All right," agreed Tom, nonchalantly, as we went to get the car out of the garage."

"In a moment or two I heard the horn tooting for me. When I climbed into my seat I realized that I hoped Mr. Thornton had given him minute directions."

"He wasn't around," answered Tom.

"Why didn't you ask the chauffeur?"

"I do wish, Alice," was Tom's crisp reply, "that you wouldn't use about anticipated difficulties. If this little bus wagon loses its way to the Hanscombs I'll eat the carburetor."

"Naturally after that I dropped the subject. Still, after a while I ventured to ask, 'Are you sure this is the right way?' when we turned on a very rough road."

"Of course, I'm sure," returned Tom. "We go on here for a mile and then turn south."

"That sounded all right, but we traveled on and on without coming to a south turn and I began to be nervous. Do ask that man where we are," I implored Tom, as we passed a farmer.

"Nonsense!" he said. "I know where we are. Here is the turn now. He aimed the car into a narrow wood road."

"That doesn't look like a highway to me," I remarked.

"No, it's just a cut-off," replied Tom.

"I began to think that he might really know where he was, but when the road lost itself in a large pasture my doubts returned."

"Perhaps we did miss the real cut-off," mused Tom, casually. "We can run back and pick it up, all right."

"By that time it was growing dark, and Tom got out and saw Mr. Thompson and then we went back to the main road and I meekly suggested that we inquire at a farmhouse which we saw in the distance."

"What's the use of going so far out of our way?" demanded Tom. "Don't you see that I have my bearings now?" I didn't see, but I refrained from telling him so."

"I should have thought that you would have told him so very pointedly," declared her sister.

"Oh, my dear girl, you aren't married to Tom. He's the best man in the world, but he—well, he thinks he's omniscient when it comes to knowing roads."

"At last Tom turned triumphantly into the driveway of a country house."

"We may be a trifle late, but we're here all right," he said. Then he added:

"Great Scott! It's Rose Lodge! And Rose Lodge it was."

"Get into any trouble?" asked Mr. Thornton, rubbing onto the porch.

"Oh, no, we just thought your dinner was good enough for us," said Tom with a weak effort at a joke.

"Mrs. Thornton's share of the laughter was rather writhless, I thought, and when we went into the dining room a moment later I saw that our places were filled by two dinner guests. While Tom phoned some excuse to the Hanscombs, Mrs. Thornton and the maid crowded two more places in at the table."

"You poor girl, what did you do?" asked Alice's sister, sympathetically. "I certainly hope you gave Mr. Tom a good scolding when you got a chance."

"I fully intended to, but when we got to our room that night, he said, 'Well, we came pretty near having to dine off that carburetor after all, didn't we?' I just laughed."

HE WAS EASILY SATISFIED

Negro whose Lot was Invalued by Circus Only Wanted His Ownership Admitted.

The circus had come to a certain southern town. Just before the parade a prosperous-looking negro approached the manager of the show, doffed his hat and said: "Did you all know you have your show on my lot?"

The manager replied he knew nothing about the matter and ordered the negro out of the way. The claimant, however, stood his ground and finally forced to the manager that he did own the lot. Then the manager looked up the real estate agent who had rented the lot for circus purposes. The real estate man came up. "What you want here?" he asked of the owner.

"Nuthin', co'n't, nuthin', cap. I was jes' tellin' dese yere show folks they done got th' tent on my lot."

"Did they tear your fence down?"

"No, sir, co'n't; case dey ain't no fences."

"Well, don't you know you can't keep people off your lot unless it is fenced? They can play ball on it, or dig bait on it, or have a show out on it, or pasture their cows on it, so long as it isn't fenced and no house is on it."

"Is dat so?" inquired the owner anxiously. "All right, co'n't, all right. I wasn't wantin' nuthin' ev' to have you all admit I owns that there lot."—Saturday Evening Post.

MILLINERY FIRST



Hubby—I honestly think I'm going to have appendicitis.

Wife—Well, I'm sure I'm going to have a new hat, and your old appendicitis can wait.

PHOTOGRAPHS ON FINGER NAILS.

One of the latest fads in Germany is the mounting of photographs on the fingernails, the idea growing out of the whim of a cousin of the Kaiser, who has an enameled portrait of her fiancée worked on the nail of her little finger. This portrait was a work of art and cost \$90, but now the fashionable manicures of Berlin have taken up the idea in the photograph form. The feature of this work by manicures is rendering the photograph waterproof, which is done by coating it over with a shellac-like substance burned upon the nail. It is said that, with careful handling, a photograph so mounted will last about four months without renewal.—Popular Mechanics.

AN EMERGENCY DOOR.

An emergency door for theaters has been invented by a Chicago man which cannot be opened from the outside without the use of a special key, and is, therefore, secure against the entrance of unauthorized persons, and yet the slightest pressure on any part of the inner surface of the door opens it at once. In its construction the door is built of two parts, each comprising a shell, and upon pressure from within the hall the one shell collapses into the other, and in doing so throws the bolts and catches out of operation and the door swings open.

AFTER THE TOUR.

"Well, Binks, I see you've returned from your thousand mile tour in New England," said Bjonas.

"Yep," said Binks.

"How did you find the hotels en route?" asked Bjonas.

"Hotels?" retorted Binks. "We didn't stop at any hotels. We passed all our nights in the county jails."—Harper's Weekly.

INTERRUPTED REPOSE.

"So you don't care for chess?"

"Not much. It's annoying to be wakened every time you drop into a nice nap, merely to be told that it is your move."

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- Blankets.....50c to \$20.00
- Carpet Sets.....40c to \$1.25
- Carpet Sweepers.....\$1.90 to \$5.00
- Cups and Saucers.....\$1.25 to \$10.00
- Curtains.....50c to \$20.00
- Cedar Boxes.....\$10.00 to \$14.00
- Cut Glassware.....50c to \$15.00
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- Crop Plates.....50c to \$2.25
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- Fruit Sets.....\$1.30 to \$4.50
- Game Sets.....25c to \$5.45
- Gas Lamps.....\$2.98 to \$10.00
- Jardiniere.....45c to \$5.00
- Lace Bed Sets.....\$1.50 to \$6.00
- Lunch Baskets.....25c to 65c
- Lamps.....50c to \$8.95
- Leather Couches.....\$10.00 to \$20.00
- Ladies Desks.....\$5.00 to \$40.00
- Mantel Mirrors.....\$25.00 to \$50.00
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- Mirrors.....25c to \$8.95
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- Pictures.....\$3.45 to \$5.00
- Punch Sets.....\$1.49 to \$2.98
- Pedestals.....25c to \$5.00
- Rings.....\$2.50 to \$15.00
- Rockers.....\$1.15 to \$12.25
- Silk Pillows.....50c to \$1.00
- Shirt Waist Boxes.....\$1.00 to \$3.98
- Sugar and Creams.....50c to \$1.95
- Teapots, Set.....\$1.00 to \$1.95
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- Towels.....25c to \$1.00
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- Window Shades.....25c to \$1.00
- Washing Machines.....\$3.98 to \$14.98

Suggestions For Men, Cont'd.

- Knives.....25c to 95c
- Morris Chairs.....12.50 to 20.00
- Match Safes.....50c to 1.50
- Military Brushes.....95c to 9.98
- Mitts, Wool.....50c to 1.00
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- Mufflers.....25c to 5.00
- Night Shirts.....50c to 1.00
- Neckwear.....25c to 1.00
- Palamas.....1.00 to 2.00
- Prayer Cards.....2.00 to 10.00
- Prayer Books.....25c to 2.00
- Rain Coats.....5.00 to 20.00
- Rosaries.....10c to 3.00
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- Satchels.....2.00 to 10.00
- Shirts.....95c to 2.25
- Sweaters.....50c to 2.00
- Scarf Pins.....25c to 1.50
- Smoking Jackets.....3.95 to 7.45
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- Smoking Stands.....95c
- Shaving Mirrors.....50c to 6.98
- Shaving Mugs.....95c to 3.50
- Traveling Cases.....95c to 19.50
- Umbrellas.....50c to 7.50
- Underwear.....25c to 2.00
- Watches, Gold Filled.....1.45 to 4.45

Suggestions For Women

- Albums.....25c to 35c
- Bags, Leather.....\$1.00 to \$12.00
- Back Combs.....95c to 1.00
- Belt.....25c to 1.98
- Belt Buckles.....25c to 1.00
- Braids.....25c to 1.00
- Batterberg Scarfs.....95c to 1.10
- Bracelets.....1.98 to 4.98
- Bath Robes.....25c to 4.90
- Collars, Lace.....25c to 4.90
- Collars, Embroidered.....10c to 25c
- Chiton Laces.....1.25 to 14.90
- Coats.....3.00 to 30.00
- Coats, Fur.....25c to 4.90
- Dress Gowns.....25c to 3.90
- Fans.....25c to 2.98
- Fur.....25c to 1.00
- Fur.....1.98 to 25.00
- Frills.....25c to 2.90
- Gold Chains.....95c to 1.00
- Gloves.....25c to 4.90
- Hats.....2.50 to 10.00
- Hose.....10c to 3.98
- Handkerchiefs.....25c to 1.98
- Hand Bags.....95c to 18.50
- Jeans.....25c to 4.98
- Kimono.....95c to 14.98
- Manufacturing Articles.....25c to 90c
- Manufacturing Sets.....95c to 12.98
- Mess Bags.....25c to 6.98
- Muffs.....1.98 to 25.00
- Neck Collars.....25c to 1.98
- Neckties.....25c to 3.98
- Neckties.....25c to 2.00
- Neckties.....95c to 1.00
- Neckties.....25c to 5.00
- Pillow Tops.....25c to 95c
- Pill Cushions.....25c to 1.25
- Pocket Books.....25c to 5.98
- Purses.....\$5.00 to \$15.50
- Rain Coats.....7.50 to 15.00
- Reclining Gloves.....25c to 35c
- Rings.....25c to 3.98
- Scarfs, Silk.....10c to 1.98
- Socks, Pique.....10c to 25c
- Supporters.....25c to 95c

Suggestions For Women, Cont'd.

- Stenciling Outfits.....10c to 90c
- Stationery.....10c to 4.00
- Shopping Bags.....25c to 3.98
- Shoes.....95c to 1.48
- Shoes.....1.50 to 4.00
- Side Combs.....25c to 1.00
- Shoulder Shawls.....50c to 5.00
- Silks.....9.25 to 35.00
- Suits.....25c to 2.50
- Suits.....25c to 7.50
- Suits.....2.98 to 12.50
- Suits.....95c to 18.98
- Tailor Sets.....25c to 3.50
- Umbrellas.....25c to 1.75
- Underwear.....95c to 3.00
- Velvets, Chiffon.....25c to 1.00
- Velvets.....10c to 1.25
- Veilings.....1.00 to 3.00
- Visiting Cards.....25c to 3.50
- Work Boxes.....10c to 1.00
- Waists.....95c to 7.50
- Wrappers.....95c to 2.98

Suggestions For Boys

- Caps.....25c and 50c
- Cowboy Suits.....\$1.25 to \$1.39
- Gloves.....25c to 1.00
- Hats.....40c and 2.00
- Indian Suits.....70c to 1.29
- Leggings.....25c to 1.00
- Magic Lanterns.....25c to 5.00
- Mechanical Toys.....50c to 4.98
- Overalls.....\$1.98 to 5.98
- Pants.....50c to 1.50
- Suits.....\$1.98 to 7.48
- Sweaters.....40c and 1.50
- Skates.....70c to 3.48
- Shirts.....25c to 1.00
- Suspenders.....25c to 1.00
- Sporting Goods.....25c to 5.48
- Toys at all prices.....\$1.25 to 5.00
- Underwear.....25c to 1.00
- Umbrellas.....50c to 1.00
- Watches.....\$1.00 to 4.45

Suggestions For Girls.

- Books.....5c to \$1.00
- Bracelets.....25c to 3.98
- Coats.....\$2.98 to 15.00
- Dolls.....25c to 7.98
- Dolls.....10c to 1.50
- Hose.....10c to 50c
- Prayer Books.....10c to 2.00
- Rain Coats.....25c to 1.00
- Rosaries.....10c to 2.00
- Rugs.....25c to 1.00
- Umbrellas.....\$1.00 to 2.50
- Toys of every description.....50c to 1.00
- Watches, Gold Filled.....50c to 1.00
- Watches.....1.45 to 4.45

Suggestions For Baby.

- Baby Records.....50c to \$4.00
- Bonnets.....25c to 2.98
- Bonnets.....25c to 50c
- Crib.....2.50 to 9.00
- Comb and Brush Sets.....10c to 1.00
- Chairs.....10c to 1.00
- Go-Carts.....2.25 to 21.50
- High Chairs.....65c to 4.00
- Leggings.....10c to 1.00
- Nursery Chairs.....1.35 to 2.35
- Rattles.....10c to 25c
- Sauques.....25c to 1.50
- Smaller Coat Sets.....1.50
- Teething Rings.....10c
- Toys of all kinds.....25c to 90c

FERN CREEK

Dec. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hegram and family, formerly of St. Paul, Minn., and Mrs. G. P. Taylor and son, Kenneth, and Mrs. Taylor's mother, Mrs. George, of Louisville, Misses Evelyn and Myrtle Seebold, Messrs. Raymond and A. P. Baker.

Mrs. Lula Seebold had as her guests Sunday Misses Edna, Leona, Lorena, Josephine and Elsie Haag.

Messrs. David L. and Thomas Jones, of Tucker's Station, were the guests of their sister, Mrs. Lula Baker, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Roman entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Seebold and little daughter, Bessie. The Misses Haag were given a surprise party at their home Friday. Those present were Misses Mary Crutcher, Bessie Swan, Edith Wheeler, Pearl Crossfield, Flora Miller, Pansy, Bessie and Sadie Finley, Mayme Russell, Nettie May Stout, Nellie Steins, Maud Berry, Ethel and Ora Baker, Mattie Miller, Selma Baker, and Edna, Leona and Lorena Haag; Messrs. Robert Stigers, Irvin and Joe Swan, Ernest Stout, Ollie and Frank Hoffick, Elmer Stout, Ernest and Roger Tyler, Forest Wheeler, Raymond and Arthur Baker, David L. and Thomas Jones, Oliver Baker, Oscar Stivers, Walter Hayes, Clyde Russell, Thomas Berry, Warren Finley, Carl and Galt Miller, Leslie Miller, Claudy Miller, Charles Cleary and Leo Haag.

Mrs. Eunice Baker visited Mrs. G. P. Taylor, of 415 W. Chestnut, Louisville, last Thursday.

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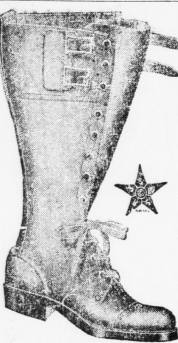
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Surprise Party.

A surprise party was rendered Mrs. Annie Glaser in honor of the forty-sixth anniversary of her birthday last Sunday at her home in Beulah church lane. The feature of the party was when the crowd missed the last car at midnight, and they were forced to turn back in the rain, and make themselves merry until the call for breakfast. Those present were Mrs. Julius Glaser, Sr., and Mrs. Henry Blasi, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zehnder, Mr. and Mrs. George Boeline, Mrs. Charlie Rosenberger, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Glaser, Jr., Misses Katie Costello, Marie Glaser, Gertrude Glaser, Amelia and Babe Boeline, Annie Lee Glaser, Agnes Zehnder, Leonida Blasi, Mr. Wm. Costello, Fred, Rud and Leroy Glaser, Minnie Lee Glaser, Leroy Rosenberger, Eddie Rosenberger, George Boeline, Jr.

Postoffice Open Sunday.

The Jeffersonville postoffice will be open next Sunday, December 24, from 7:30 to 8 a. m. and from 6:30 to 1 p. m. for the purpose of dispatching any mail that comes in. Notice given by order of chief clerk of railway mail service.

Christ Lutheran Church Notice.

Next Sunday, Dec 24, there will be services at Christ Lutheran church at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Services at Calvary.

Rev. Virgil Elgin, pastor of the Methodist church at Jeffersonville, will preach at Calvary school house Sunday Dec. 24, at 2:30 p. m.

Christ Lutheran Sunday-School Christmas Celebration.

The Christ Lutheran Sunday-school will have their Christmas celebration Wednesday, December 27, at 7:30 p. m.

Christmas Tree.

There will be a Christmas tree also Christmas exercises at Clark Station school on Friday evening, December 22nd, at 8 o'clock. All are invited to come.

Letters Omitted.

On account of issuing the paper a day earlier than usual this week, on account of Christmas and an over supply of news and ads., we were compelled to omit several news letters and letters to Santa Claus, which we exceedingly regret.

The Blue Grass Dairy Lunch.

322 W. Jefferson, opposite Interurban Station, serve everything hot on steam table from 11 to 3 and from 4 to midnight. Vegetables, Seelbach Sausage, Fish, Chicken Dimping, Oyster Stew, Coffee, like your mother used to make; Pies that you can't try our hot mince; you will want another slice.

F. & M. Notice.

Jeffersonville Lodge, F. & M. No. 774, will meet in regular communication next Saturday night. There will be work in the M. M. degree and members and brothers are invited. The annual election of officers will take place next Wednesday night, December 27.

Seed Corn to State College.

The Kentucky State Agricultural college at Lexington has purchased two bushels of Lettelle's Standard Boone County White Seed Corn for use by the students of the college. The corn was shipped on Tuesday, Dec. 20th, Jefferson County farmers the college each year with corn for this purpose.

The First Christmas Gifts.

As Christmas draws near we do well to pause in our weary round of gift buying and ponder on the first Christmas gifts presented so long ago in the old town of Bethlehem to the little lone stranger in a manger. What did the baby need? Everything save a mother's love—poor, weak, helpless, wrapped in swaddling clothes. And he received just three things—gold, frankincense and myrror. Had the child needs of them? No. All were precious gifts, but none ministered to his immediate necessities. The only suitable accompaniment to a Christmas gift is love. A gift sent without it is not, and can never be, a true Christmas gift.

Mrs. S. D. THOMPSON.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Durr entertained at dinner Sunday the following guests: Rev. Wm. L. Burger, Mr. and Mrs. John Durr, Miss Emma Yager and Tom Durr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Omer entertained at dinner Sunday Mrs. Ada Omer, of Camp Point, Ill., Mrs. Ida Clay, Mrs. Mose Bruce and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tyler and son, Benjie.

Mrs. Pearl Hayes and Mrs. Mary Tyler visited Mrs. Newton Swan recently.

Mr. Irvin Swan spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. J. J. Brentlinger, of Louisville.

Mrs. Newton Swan and son, Claud, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. D. E. Stark.

Miss Gertrude Swan entertained at dinner Sunday for Misses Mamie Wheeler, Katherine and Virginia Miller, of Jeffersonville, and Messrs. Russell Miller, Louisville, and Oscar Swart.

Rev. Wm. Burger spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Swan.

Mr. J. C. Bruce and family entertained Sunday Dr. Boston, of Colorado, Mrs. T. S. Finley and daughter, Daisy Lee, and Besie Clifton, of Greer, Ill., Misses Della Tyler, Emma Miller, Charlotte Blankenbaker, Ethel Miller. A delightful afternoon was spent.

M. E. Christmas Entertainment.

The Jeffersonville Methodist Sunday school will celebrate Christmas, the birthday anniversary of Christ, our Lord, on Dec. 24th at 2 p. m. at the church. A simple program has been prepared of recitations and songs by the children and older scholars. Santa Claus has expressed his appreciation of the invitation extended to him to be present and will greet the children with pleasant words, his kindly smile and other gifts.

J. A. C. Alcock, the Superintendent and his corps of teachers, decided that if any institution should celebrate Christmas, the Sabbath school that teaches of Christ, its originator, should especially. A general invitation is hereby extended to all.

Lightning Kills Few.

In 1906 lightning killed only 169 people in this whole country. One's chances of death by lightning are less than two in a million. The chances of death from liver, kidney or stomach trouble is vastly greater, but not if Electric Bitters be used, as Robert Madsen, of West Burlington, Ia., proved. Four doctors gave him up after eight months of suffering from uric acid liver trouble and yellow jaundice. He was then completely cured by Electric Bitters. They're the best stomach, liver, nerve and kidney remedy and blood purifier on earth. Only 50c at all drugists.

BOY SCOUTS

The Boy Scouts of America are steadily increasing in numbers and in splendid character building among the male youth of our land. Many men of the broadest influence in political, social and religious affairs of the nation have stamped their approval upon and are giving much of their valuable time to this great movement which means so much to our boys—the men of tomorrow.

The Boy Scouts of Louisville met President Taft, who is the honorary president of the Boy Scouts of America, at the depot when he recently visited that city and assisted in escorting him to the hotel.

There is a movement on foot to extend to the boys of this community the Scout privileges, and a young man, Mr. H. C. McDowell, who has charge of one of the largest troops in Louisville, has offered his services to assist in organizing our boys into a local troop.

Mr. McDowell has consented to come out and speak to the boys and their parents at Bruce Hall on the evening of Jan. 8, 1912, at 7:30 o'clock. All boys and their parents are invited to be present. Those who are unable to attend, to bring a patrol of uniformed scouts with him.

Sell Fine Berkshire.

G. Lettelle & Harold's Creek, sold last week to Mr. B. Bernheim, of Bernheim Bros., distillers, Louisville, a trio of choice young Berkshires, one boar and two girls of spring farrow from their prize winning stock as a foundation for a Berkshire herd upon his fine farm on the Newburg road, near Louisville. They also sold to Mr. J. E. Vissman, of Lagrange, the fine young Berkshire boar, Master Monarch 2, sired by Lord Monarch 132900, dam Past-Monarch Duchess 2. Both sire and dam of this young boar are Kentucky State fair prize winners.

Honor Roll.

Honor roll for the month of November. The following children have been either absent nor tardy during the month:

Grade VIII—Ruth Maddox, Marguerite Claxon, Chas. Pennell.

Grade IV—Otis Sims.

Grade III—Margaret Taylor.

Grade I—Elnor Thomas.

The following honor roll depends upon the general standing of the pupils:

Grade VIII—Ruth Maddox, Georgia Miller, Chas. Pennell, Marguerite Claxon, Laura May Hardin, Bertha Sims.

Grade VI—William Netherthon, Irvin Taylor, Jennie Bothenberger, Wilbur Littell.

Grade V—Anna Claxon, Clara Mae Netherthon, Douglas Littell, Lawrence Claxon.

Grade IV—Otis Sims, Rosa Miller.

Grade III—Anna Mable Maddox.

Grade II—Catherine Smith.

Grade I—Eveline Golis, Margaret Miller, Verena May Gentry, Principal.

BUECHEL.

Buechel, Dec. 18.—J. Edwin Johnson and Wm. Lancaster spent the week-end on a hunting trip down in the lower counties.

Guy Mills, of Seatonville, was the guest of his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frederick, Sunday.

Little Lee Otis Stivers is seriously ill at this writing.

Miss Della Bischoff is on the sick list.

Miss Ethel Hikes will arrive Saturday from Bowling Green to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hikes.

Miss Pansy Finley spent last week with Mrs. Webb in Louisville.

Mrs. Theodore Westerman has returned to her home after spending the week with her father who is very ill at his home in Louisville.

The handsome new residence of Mr. and Mrs. Hirst will be completed in about a week.

Mrs. Henry Graft as her guests the first of the week Mrs. Lausman and little son, of Jeffersonville, Mrs. Philip Graft, Mrs. T. S. Skiles and daughter, Mrs. Henry Westerman, and Miss Katherine Graft and Ida Delle Kaiser.

Miss Mayne Kaiser spent Sunday with Miss Florence Roggenkamp.

Mr. Jacob Hikes is still on the sick list.

The members of the "Golden Rule" class of Fairview Sunday-school with their teacher, Mrs. Wm. Frederick, Sr., visited the Christian Orphans Home Friday afternoon and presented each little girl with a doll, several members of the church out of the class also contributed.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Vann and family who have recently moved into their handsome new residence were given a house warming surprise by a number of their relatives Sunday at Prospect the guest of her aunt, Mrs. John Frey.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hikes will be entertained at a Christmas dinner in honor of their daughter, Miss Ethel, at 7 p. m. W. Curry and T. S. Skiles, Jr., went hunting Monday.

Miss Ethel Koehler who has been in Fairmount for several months will spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Koehler.

Mr. and Mrs. John Westerman, Mrs. returned to Boechel and are residing in the six-mile lane.

Mrs. Conrad Kaiser, Sr., who has been ill some time is able to be out again.

Mrs. Philip Graft, Sr., spent the week-end with Mr. Henry Graft.

The business house of J. W. Summers and son, has been completed and will be open after the first of the year.

Mrs. George Roggenkamp will entertain several relatives from

Louisville during Christmas week.

Bro. H. H. Watkins will preach his last sermon for this year at Fairview Christian church Sunday evening at 7:30. He will also conduct the morning services. Every one is cordially invited to attend.

An entertainment will be given at Hikes' school house, under the auspices of the young Ladies Organized body class of Hikes' Sunday-school, Friday evening, December 20, at 7:30 o'clock. Admission ten cents. The general public is invited.

Miss Willie Chester, of Louisville, and Boyd Winchester Vernon, were married last Wednesday in Jeffersonville, by Magistrate James S. Keigwin. Their friends in Rachel extend to them their very best wishes.

A. B. C.

Writes Extensive of Happenings Along R. F. D. 19 and St. Matthews.

St. Matthews, Dec. 18.—Behold! the depot on the electric line at St. Matthews is finished and very satisfactory, indeed. Has a beautiful waiting-room and a freight-room all lighted by electricity. We are moving on, looking forward to greater achievements in the near future. "Attend great things, expect great things and great things will follow."

There will be a Christmas entertainment and treat at the Glenview Baptist church Saturday afternoon at 2 p. m. Everybody invited.

Mr. Charles Stabler has returned from school in Georgia to spend the holidays with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Maddox celebrated the fifth anniversary of their marriage December 18th at their residence, in Springdale. Many of their friends and relatives gathered to rejoice with this happy couple, and were entertained with their usual hospitality and refreshments.

Being a wooden wedding, it gave great scope in selection of presents, consequently one would think Santa Claus had loaded his pack at their door. All neighbors extend their best wishes to these young people, hoping they will have many returns of their anniversary.

There will be a distribution of Christmas boxes to the Sunday-school scholars at Worthington Christian church next Sunday morning. All are invited to attend promptly at 10 o'clock a. m.

That explosion of the "Worthington" was to nightmare or snakes in his boots. No such characters dwell in this community or have been seen in the synagogue, not even by him, except in these irresponsible conditions.

Christmas, with its good cheer, the reunion of families, the presents which express our love and appreciation of others, is high, even at the doors. Let us be thankful for these joys and social gatherings, especially when the festive circle has not been broken during the year. Let us also give substantial proof of our consideration for the unfortunate and spread the tidings of "Peace, good will to men."

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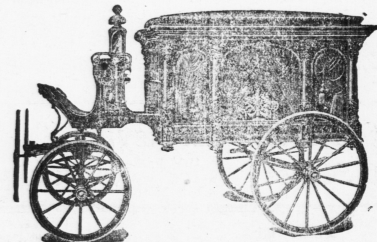
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THE BROKEN DOWN FOOT.

Weak Ligaments and Muscles Cause the Arch to Collapse.

The condition known as flat foot is brought about by a stretching of the ligaments and a weakening of the supporting muscles, so that the foot, forced to its natural work of standing and walking, spreads under the strain and the normal arch is obliterated.

All the miserable symptoms connected with this trouble are due to the fact that the machinery of the foot has broken down and the weight of the body is too much for it. It follows that there will be many degrees of flat foot and of the suffering incident to it. Naturally a heavy person who is obliged to be on his feet a great many hours of the day will suffer more than one of light weight who is in a position where he can humor his feet. This is why the foot breaks down so often in early adult life, when most persons take up their chosen occupation.

Such occupations as those of trained nurses, policemen, waiters and cooks will soon bring to light any unsuspected weakness of the foot mechanism, and in many cases this weakness is of such a degree that the occupation must be changed. Many women who wish to take up nursing and who are eminently fitted for this work in every other way are obliged to abandon it for the reason that their feet refuse to meet the demands put upon them.

The first sign that the foot is giving out is a sensation of weakness. It passes off when the foot is allowed to rest, but soon returns when the sufferer tries to use the feet again. By and by the dull ache will run farther and farther up the leg; the knee will hurt, and then the hip. The dull, constant ache may be enlivened by a sudden sharp, darting pain, and the patient complains that he has gout or rheumatism.

If the patient neglects treatment and persists in overuse of the foot he is driven to abnormal attitudes by the effort to adjust the weight of the body, and these unnatural attitudes will presently result in a permanent displacement of bones.

The treatment of flat foot consists of certain exercises designed to strengthen the weak muscles and to make passive motion of the foot free and painless. The patient must learn to throw the weight on the outer side of the foot, and to this end a shoe with the inner border sole and heel a little thicker than the outer one is often a great help. Long continuance in one position should be avoided, and the supporting metal arch which the majority of sufferers need can be accurately measured for and fitted as any other surgical appliance.—Youth's Companion.

Solubility of Gold.

Gold is one of the group of metals soluble only in that mixture of nitric and hydrochloric acids known as aqua regia. It has been found, however, that the presence of certain organic compounds renders gold soluble in hydrochloric acid. Thus a mixture of this acid and chloroform is found to be a solvent. Ethyl, or ordinary alcohol, methyl alcohol and amyl alcohol are among the other substances which give to hydrochloric acid the power of dissolving gold. The solution takes place slowly in the cold and more quickly on heating.

Independently Miserable.

A day or two ago, having joined the boat train at Dover harbor station, the writer found a fellow passenger resting a heavy head on worried, looking hands. The weather was quite pleasant, but one can never judge the channel by the appearance of Dover beach, so the question was asked sympathetically, "Was the crossing very rough?" "No," said the passenger; "this is a personal matter."—London Globe.

Measuring Time With Water.

Under the Ptolemies the Egyptians measured time by the clepsydra, a hydraulic clock, the hours being determined by the quantity of water that escaped from a small orifice in the reservoir. The simplest kind consisted of a transparent vase filled with water, graduated and having a small aperture in the bottom. As the liquid escaped its height in the receptacle marked the hour.

An Appropriate Name.

"It is a pretty name," the impressionable traveler murmured. "But, tell me, why do they call you Manita?"

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ROUTT.

Dec. 11.—Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Carruthers spent several days of last week with their daughter, Mrs. E. V. Davis, of Rivals.

Mrs. Walter Knapp spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Markwell, of Cane Run.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reid entertained Thursday in honor of their daughter, Mrs. D. B. Finley; those present were Mrs. S. B. Clark and Winnie Mr. and Mrs. Van Finley and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Finley and Mr. W. H. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McKinley and daughter, Georgie, and Mrs. Tom Bridwell, of Elk Creek, and Mrs. David McKinley, of Jeffersontown, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Burdine Bridwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Finley entertained Saturday in honor of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Finley. Those present were Mrs. Luia Finley, Miss Winnie Clark, Mr. J. B. Reid, Miss Margaret Reid, Mrs. Acy Veech, Messrs. Joe Reid, Joe Veech, Miss Mattie Bell Reid, Mr. Claud Veech and Elizabeth Veech.

Mr. Iven McKinley had the misfortune to lose three of his best horses. The cause has not been ascertained. He has the sympathy of all his friends.

We hear the Shake brothers have lost several horses quite suddenly; all regret to hear of their loss.

Mr. and Mrs. Acy Veech entertained Sunday in honor of their nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Finley.

Saved His Wife's Life.

"My wife would have been in her grave to-day," writes O. H. Brown, of Muscadine, Ala., "if it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery. She was down in her bed, not able to get up without help. She had a severe bronchial trouble and a dreadful cough. I got her a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, and she soon began to mend, and was well in a short time." Infallible for coughs and colds, it's the most reliable remedy on earth for desperate lung trouble, hemorrhages, lagrippe, asthma, hay fever, croup and whooping cough. 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all Druggists.

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In the largest cities of our land are special cars chartered by charitable and benevolent societies, who Christmas morn, encumber these public conveyances to their fullest capacity with untold delights and luxuries, to be delivered to a designated portion of the unfortunate poor of each particular city. I have often seen these cars swiftly glide by me while out on some holiday jaunt; and it has always thrilled me through and through with great love and esteem for the noble instigators of such a commendable act, and I received the spirit that prompted so praiseworthy a deed.

The near return of Christmas moves me to reflect on the vast number of poor that we have about us, too penniless even to buy the actual necessities of life, thus deprived of the now prevailing joy-task of purchasing a single Christmas token. It is hardly possible for us to imagine ourselves in such a heartrending plight

on this great gala-day, surrounded, as we will be, by festive gaiety in our homes, when naught but happiness and mirth shall find access.

While this happy expectancy has claim on the greater part of my thought and time, still it gives way to tender pathos as I fancy the many hearts, both young and old, that will be made joyous and the many faces made to glow with the flush of excitement, in hut and hotel to be invaded by kind benefactors. I would that I, too, could participate in the distribution of the gifts: for I would feel well repaid to lay some much-wanted article in a pair of outstretch arms and hear the grateful, gurgled, "Oh!" I know that my heart would go up in silent prayer, fervently thanking God for the coming of the boy King and Christmas-tide, not alone for the sweet pleasure of giving and receiving gifts within my own loved circle, but for the divine advantage of remembering the needy stranger on that day.

HOGWALLOW HAPPENINGS.

(From the Hogwallow Kentuckian.)
Luke Mathews, while seated on the fence near his home yesterday, fell to the ground and received injuries on the head and body. The fall came as a great surprise to him, he being asleep at the time of its occurrence.

The postmaster has issued instructions that hereafter no letters must pass through the office unless they are addressed on the front side of the envelope, as he has not the time to go around behind any letters at this busy season.

Sam Perkins has purchased himself a pair of overalls and some heavy gloves to wear when he takes his job at Tickville, which consists of ringing the bell at the Methodist church every third Sunday.

Tobe Mosely has a new way of getting rid of company when they stay too long. Sunday night a gang of neighbors went over to set until bed time at his house, and when he thought it was about time they were going he lit the pipe he has been smoking for the last 15 years.

Little Piddly Finders is falling in to the ways of his father right along now. The other day he found an empty pint bottle, and after looking all about to see that no one was in sight, he hid it behind a stump.

Elick Bellwanger, who plays the lead fiddle in the Excelsior Fiddling Band, has been severely criticised for his recent act of having stopped to scratch his head in the middle of a tune at the dance on Musket Ridge.

Innie Bellwanger went over to Prissy Hancock's the other night and got a lot of fleas on him, and is expected to be attacked by them at any time.

There is some talk about building an addition on the back part of the Hogford church, to accommodate the large crowd that sits in that end.

FERN CREEK.

Dec. 18.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson spent Sunday with Mr. M. F. Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mae Bates, from Louisville, have been spending several days with Mrs. L. T. Bates, who has been ill with La Grippe.

Mrs. Sallie McKeag had as her guests Sunday afternoon Mrs. Geo. Haag and daughter, Mrs. Lela Seebold and children and Miss Sallie McKeag.

Misses Florence Berry and Sallie Gentry spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Price Baker.

Mr. Seebold visited her son, Dr. J. E. Seebold, in Shelbyville recently.

Misses Flora Miller and Loraine Miller spent Saturday in Louisville with relatives.

Miss Carrie McKenna has returned home after spending several weeks in Chicago the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mollie Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Seebold and daughter recently visited Mr. and Mrs. John Roman.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Mathews had as their guests Sunday Dr. Robert Morrison, from Owensboro, and Prof. Ernest Ewers, of Louisville.

Mrs. Jennie Bueckell, of Shelbyville, was the recent guest of her sister, Mrs. Sallie Wheeler, who is ill. The many friends of Mrs. Wheeler hope for her speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Haves entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bates and children.

Mrs. Geo. Noss, of Louisville, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. C. D. Miller.

Miss Edna Neal has returned to her home in Louisville, after spending several weeks with Miss Margaret Williams.

Miss Louise Combs, of Louisville, was the charming guest of Miss Abby Risinger Sunday.

REPORT —OF THE CONDITION OF THE— BANK OF ST. HELENS

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Actual Cash on hand	3,932.28
Checks, cash items and exchange for clearing	000.00
Overdrafts—secured	00.00
Unsecured	\$214.98
Current expenses and taxes—paid	5,004.47
Real Estate	\$3,200.00
Furniture and fixtures	2,555.62
Other assets not included under any of the above heads	000.00
Total	\$43,280.13

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in, in cash	\$15,000.00
Surplus	000.00
Undivided profits	\$6,077.41
Deposits on which interest is paid	\$28,500.16
Deposits on which interest is not paid	\$4,200.00
Cashier's Checks outstanding	00.00
Certified checks	00.00
Due to Banks	000.00
Notes and Bills rediscounted	00.00
Bills Payable	00.00
Other liabilities not included under any of the above heads	000.00
Total	\$43,280.13

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Subscribed and sworn to before me by Nick Bibbelauser, this 15th day of Dec., 1911.

My commission expires Jan. 10, 1912.

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Notary Public Jefferson County Ky.

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O'Rear Resigns.

Judge E. C. O'Rear, late Republican nominee for Governor, set at rest the rumors regarding his intentions recently by tendering his resignation as an Appellate Judge to Governor Willson. It was accepted and Gov. Willson appointed Robert H. Winn, of Mt. Sterling, to serve until the next regular election. Winn is the chairman of the Republican State Central Committee and was the choice of Judge O'Rear for the position. O'Rear, who yet had five years to serve, has announced that he will remain in Frankfort and practice law. A strong rumor was in circulation the first of the week to the effect that President Taft would appoint him to the Supreme Bench to succeed the late Justice Harlan.

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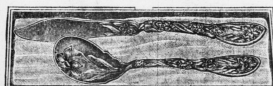


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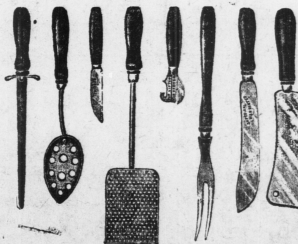
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DUELING IN AMERICA.

The First Fatal Meeting Was Upon Historic Boston Common.

The first fatal duel fought in what is now the United States was upon Boston Common, between Benjamin Woodbridge and Henry Phillips, on the evening of July 3, 1728. These young men had quarreled over cards at the Royal Exchange tavern in King street, now State street, and under the influence of drink had agreed to settle their differences with swords in the public grounds above named. They met at a little after 8 o'clock in the evening, and Woodbridge was mortally wounded and was found dead the following morning.

Both were gentlemen of good social position. Phillips was a brother of Gilling Phillips, who married Marie, the sister of Peter Faneuil, the builder of Boston's famous hall. Woodbridge had not completed his twentieth year. He was a young merchant who had recently been admitted to business as a partner with Jonathan Sewall, one of the most active merchants of the place. Henry Phillips, a young graduate of the college of Cambridge, was about four years older than Woodbridge, having at the time of this melancholy affair completed his twenty-third year. Woodbridge was the son of a gentleman of some distinction in the Barbados, one of the magistrates there, who had formerly been settled in the ministry as pastor in Groton, Conn.

The place of meeting was on the rising grounds of the Common, not far from the great elm, near where in the olden time a powder house stood. Swords were used. No one but themselves participated. Woodbridge fell mortally wounded and died on the spot before the next morning. Phillips was slightly wounded and at midnight, by the aid of his brother Gilling and Peter Faneuil, of famous memory, made his escape to the Sheerness, a British man-of-war then lying in the harbor, and before the sun of the next morning had far discovered to interested friends the miserable result of the unfortunate meeting he was on his way to France, where he died in less than a year of grief and a broken heart.

At the Wrong End.
"I been a-readin' all your eastern papers," commented Grizzly Gus, the three fingered terror of the Bad Lands, "and I been a-tryin' to keep up with the stories therein contained. But your sportin' sections gets me. I been a-readin' about these here fights you all has back east. Nine times out of ten the paper states that 'the fight ended in a draw.' That's what I can't savvy."

"Why not?" we asked. "When two men are equally matched why should not the fight end in a draw?"
"I guess you have diffrent kind o' fights in yore country. Out here a fight begins with a draw," Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Our Babel of Tongues.
The old and the young sometimes have difficulty in understanding each other's language. Geraldine, playing with her little companions on the sidewalk, succeeded in fooling one of them rather neatly. Pleased with the infant crime, she dashed in to tell her grandmother, "Margaret got stung, gramma."

"What stung her, dear—a bee?" asked gramma mildly. Geraldine stared at her in blank surprise. "What's a bee?" she asked, deeply perplexed. "Well, what do you mean by 'stung'?" inquired gramma in equal dismay, and at last accounts neither had been able to make the other comprehend what was meant.—New York Press.

The Victim.
"I hear poor Dobbs, the humorist, has gone to a sanitarium," Binks said.
"Yes," Higgins said. "He's worked himself into a state of nervous prostration that I fear is incurable."
"That's too bad," Binks said. "How did he come to do that?"
"Why, six weeks ago he got an answer to a riddle, one's a chau-fleur and the other's a fair show, and he says he'll never be able to sleep until he finds the question it will make a good answer to," Higgins said.—Harpers Weekly.

He Had Read Romeo.
She was very literary, and he was not. He had spent a harrowing evening discussing authors of whom he knew nothing and their books, of which he knew less.

Presently the maiden asked abruptly, "Of course you've read 'Romeo and Juliet'?"
He floundered helplessly for a moment and then, having a brilliant thought, blurted out happily: "I've read Romeo!"—Philadelphia Times.

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OF THE CONDITION OF THE JEFFERSON COUNTY BANK

A bank doing business at the town of Jeffersontown, county of Jefferson, state of Kentucky, at the close of business on the

5th Day of December, 1911.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	\$43,025.50
U. S. and other Bonds, Stocks and Securities	21,860.00
Due from Banks	17,002.14
Actual Cash on hand	5,144.32
Checks, cash items and exchange for clearing	.00
Overdrafts—Secured	\$30.87
Unsecured	130.07
Current expenses and taxes paid	2,500.00
Real Estate	\$3,800.00
Furniture and fixtures	\$2,400.00
Other Assets not included under any of the above heads	600.00
Total	\$109,443.90

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in cash	\$15,000.00
Surplus	\$2,000.00
Undivided profits	\$8,822.18
Deposits on which interest is paid	\$104,613.91
Deposits on which interest is not paid	\$6,800.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	123,022.81
Uncertified checks	.00
Certified checks	0.00
Due to Banks	0.00
Notes and Bills rediscounted	.00
Bills payable	0.00
Other liabilities not included under any of the above heads	0.00
Total	\$199,443.90

State of Kentucky, I, J. C. Cardwell, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
J. C. CARDWELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on J. C. Cardwell, this 15th day of Dec., 1911. My commission expires Jan. 15th, 1914.
DAVID McKINLEY, Notary Public Jefferson County, Ky.
Wm. H. Ryan, Correct Attest. J. C. F. HRYAN, J. D. N. T. HRYAN, Directors.

REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF BUECHEL

A bank doing business at the town of Buechel, county of Jefferson, state of Kentucky, at the close of business on the

5th Day of December, 1911.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	\$5,725.45
U. S. and other Bonds, Stocks and Securities	9,922.03
Due from Banks	13,362.20
Actual Cash on hand	4,294.33
Checks, cash items and exchange for clearing	.00
Overdrafts—Secured	\$230.87
Unsecured	391.20
Current expenses and taxes paid	1,321.80
Real Estate	\$6,465.47
Furniture and fixtures	\$1,255.58
Other Assets not included under any of the above heads	0.00
Total	\$48,212.52

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in cash	\$15,000.00
Surplus	\$1,000.00
Undivided profits	\$2,068.22
Deposits on which interest is paid	\$91,140.00
Deposits on which interest is not paid	\$60,101.51
Cashier's checks outstanding	\$1,521.30
Uncertified checks	.00
Certified checks	.00
Due to Banks	2,000.00
Notes and Bills rediscounted	.00
Bills payable	.00
Other liabilities not included under any of the above heads	.00
Total	\$165,219.52

State of Kentucky, I, J. C. Hixes, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
J. C. HIXES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by J. C. Hixes, this 15th day of December, 1911. My commission expires Jan. 30, 1914.
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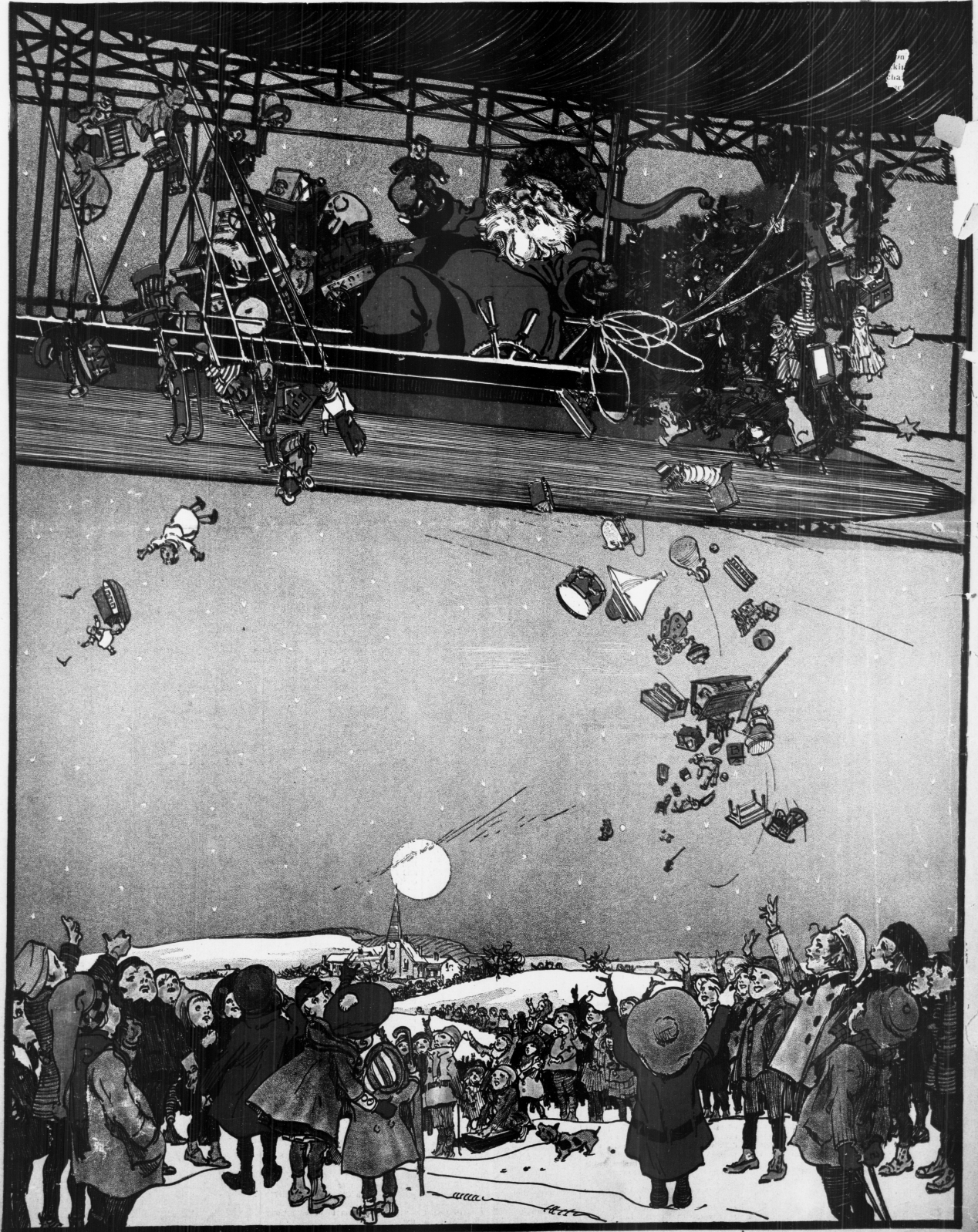
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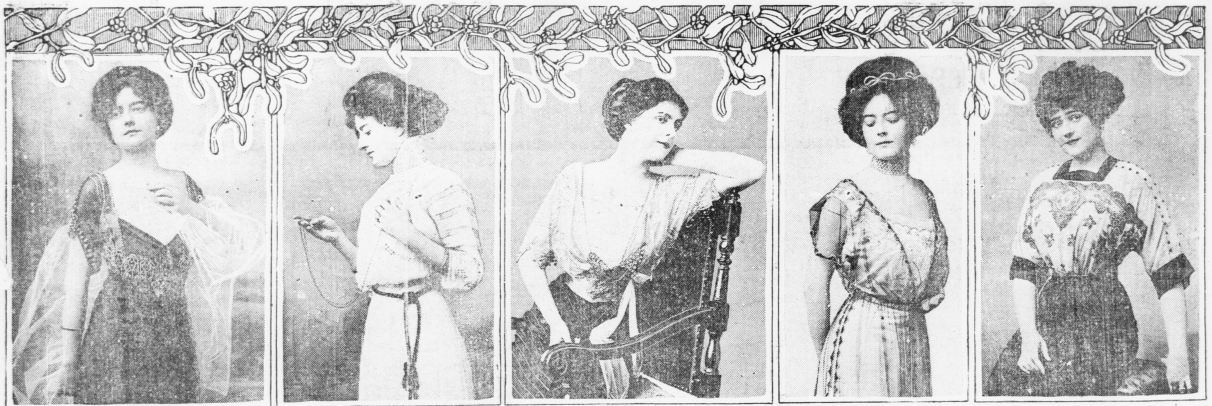
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THE GIRLS BENEATH THE MISTLETOE

By ROBERT DONNELL

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I. If I were kissing I'd not be missing
The Miss who's Number One.
She's so loving that while I'm
writing

I really want to run
And give her one resounding smack—
And maybe I would not come back.

II. MISS Number Two is a maiden who is
Delightful as the first.
And where she's standing she seems
demanding

A real diamond burst
Of osculation rich and rare
Upon her lips, her eyes, her hair.

III. THE girl in the middle is quite a
riddle.

I cannot solve her thought.
To me she seemeth a maid who dreameth
Of kisses, as she ought.
I'd love on that chair arm to sit
And find if she away would flit.

IV. THERE'S no debating that this one's
waiting
For some one's lips to meet
Her own, though surely she stands demurely.
Now, don't you think her sweet?
You notice she has closed her eyes,
So any one might steal the prize.

V. A SAUCY maiden, not overlaid
With shyness, Number Five.
She looks so willing I'd bet a shil-
ling
She wouldn't duck nor dive.
They're all beyond my reach, and yet
I'd like to kiss the whole quintet.

The Christmas Basket

By Carlyle Moore

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"CHRISTMAS! Bah!" His sleep-
filled eyes had cleared to the
meaning of that merry peal
of bells.

Whether to find more warmth or
shut out the sound that roused him,
he drew the snowy blanket over his
head and turned shivering to the wall.
In either case the result was failure.

He should have known that the first
Christmas bell heralds a chorus that
swells higher and higher in a cre-
scent of added voices; that sandwiched
between a canvas cot and a single
blanket, near a pinless window but
half eked out with castoff rags, offers
a poor defense against an ideal Christ-
mas morning.

In cold disgust, but wide awake, he
cleared the sash within his reach.

"Merry Christmas! Merry Christ-
mas!"

Newshaws, street cleaners, boot-
blacks, the comduns as he relieved
his mate, paid cheery tribute to the day.

"Even the police," he growled. "Go
to the devil! I'm a cynic."

His fingers trembling with cold, he
drew the congress shoes (to be new)
upon his feet and searched beneath
the blanket for his coat, which, having
done duty as a pillow through the
night, had added creases to those of
newness from the day before.

"I wonder," he chuckled mirthlessly,
"if old Santa missed my stockin'. If
it hadn't been so cold last night I'd
sure put them on the mantel, look-
ing about the room. 'If there'd been
one.'"

He drew a silver dollar from his
pocket.

"I got my presents yesterday. Term
shortened for good behavior, a new
suit, hat and shoes and one silver
dollar. I'd be a bloomin' sport if my
hair was a bit longer. Them prison
barbers ought to get about a bit and
learn something of the styles."

He held the coin close to his eye;
it shut out the light. He held it at

arm's length; the coin seemed small-
er, but he could see daylight. "I
wish you was big enough to do
that off there," he growled. "You got
to be mighty close to shut things out."

He ambled out and to the street.

"Merry Christmas!" an ash man
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of expatriates. He saw a respec-
table.

"Sure! I'd get them to cook my din-
ner. There'll be some left over.
Maybe they'll take it off my hands." A
pleasant story bubbled forth.

"So I want you to cook these
things," opening the basket, "and
I'll— He stole a glance at the con-
tents. The lid fell shut. He stared
stupidly at the attendant.

"All shall be cooked as monsieur
wishes," with elaborate gesture as the
waiter reached for the basket.

"I guess you ain't quite qualified to
cook this yet." Our friend snipped a
perspiring brow with his disengaged
hand. "Where's the nearest police sta-
tion?"

"Three blocks up the street. And if
monsieur will leave his basket while he
is away?" But monsieur had bolted
out the door, and for several mo-
ments a much perturbed waiter won-
dered why, while three blocks away
a much perturbed man with a basket
wandered low.

"Any story I'd tell 'em would sound
fishy. Then there's my picture in the
gallery. A possum for good behavior
don't go very far. Great Scott! They'll
find the pocketbook on me!"

"That thought left wings to his feet.
The police station diminished in the
distance. What to do with the bas-
ket that was now growing heavy on
his arm—that was the question. No
use going back to the church. It was
left there with intention.

"In the devil, all right. Somebody's
shifted the responsibility to my short-
does. The first time I've been near a
church in years too. Well, I've got
my lesson. Not again for me."

He thought of sitting down to work
his problem out. These were likely
steps where that officer was passing.
Hurry to his goal, he passed the
law. Their eyes met for an instant.
Long enough to thrill the basket man.
The officer hesitated as if searching his
memory. There was no hesitation
from the man behind.

"You got me now," he muttered and
raced up the first flight of stairs at
hand, plunged into an entry and in his
excitement pressed the private bell.

The officer turned back. There was
no one in sight. Missing over the re-
semblance, he rounded the corner of
his bed.

Scarcely scolded on the stairs. The
knob turned. Well, he could ask if

they had any rooms to rent. That
would explain his ringing of the bell.
A sweet faced, white haired lady ap-
peared in the doorway.

"Do you rent rooms?" he blurted.
"I do not." The little old lady drew
herself up, her tone a trifle naughty.
The man muttered an apology and
turned away. The door moved toward
the jinn. A wail, unmistakable in its
origin, came from the basket. Three
steps of the flight the man measured
in a moment.

"One moment, sir!" In the voice
above authority spoke unexpectantly.
"Oh, ma'am, please!" That policeman
had got on the light fingered one's
nerves. In abject fear he turned.

"My poor man!" The kindly old
lady saw only the humble pleading
of a father to save his child from the
inclemency of the weather. In that
moment her dear old mind had built
a romance around this situation, of
which the hero was the basket man.
She sought no explanation. Merely
to do good on such a day was suf-
ficient to her. Was not this the an-
niversary of a child who centricies be-
fore had not even a basket to be in?

"Come in, my poor man, come in."
"But, ma'am—"

"Not a word, sir. I have a nice
warm room that you are welcome to
if you are out of funds there is plenty
to do about the house. As for the
baby, my daughter has gone west with
her little grandson. Your child comes
into my house as a blessing."

"But, ma'am, you don't know"—
stammering, but determined to ex-
plain.

"I do not seek to know," urging
him in and toward the rear. "If
you have been unfortunate and some-
day need to tell the story I will listen.
Now you and your baby are my
guests."

She withdrew and closed the door
on the poor sorrowful man and his
blessed babe.

"Well, I'll be linked!" The sorrow-
ful man sank into a comfortable chair
and chuckled. "Of all the"—An in-
sistent waiting, accompanied by busy
kisses, heralded the final and complete
awakening of the basket's contents.

"Let's see what's here." He threw
back the lid and greeted the pink pre-
tending face with a humorous twinkle
of appreciation. "Well, you little
trick!" Those hands, so deft at pocket
picking, were gentler possibly than an
honest man's. The babe was cooing
on his shoulder.

"Well, you take to me, don't you
young un?" He held the bundle off
at arm's length. The infant's efforts
to smuggle back pleased him mightily.
"There you are, you God's blessed dar-
ling."

In that casual position the babe cooed
off to sleep again. The man sank
into a rocking chair and swayed back
and forth. He felt comfortable, placid,
content.

He was leaning in a moment what
years could not unlearn—a purpose to
live, finding a something to live for,
and all taught by a poor little aban-
doned baby.

"If any one," he thought, looking
down at the snoring, unconscious face,
"could abandon such a son and not
leave hope behind, then there's
chance for both of us in this world.
You'll be my hope, you poor, little—I
don't know whether you're a boy or a
girl; but, which ever, you'll be mine
and, so help me God, I'll be yours—and
—and—there'll be a chance for
both of us."

He sat quietly for a long time. The
baby stirred, opened his eyes and still
slept. The man bent down, then
hesitated. "I'm not worthy," he mut-
tered. "But I will be—for the future."
He kissed the little brow. His eyes
were moist.

"Merry Christmas" he breathed.
"and—dear God, the tears from his
eyes, a happy New Year."

His Preference.

"I do not believe in kissing under
the mistletoe," said Gladys Beutifirl.
"Neither do I," promptly replied
young Huggins. "Right here, where-
ever it happens to be, is good enough for
me."

Thereupon he proceeded to prove it.

No Cigars This Christmas.

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"Well, you seem to be happy over
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"So I am. I've quit smoking."

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